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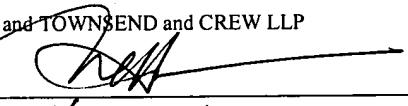
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

A. MEDVINSKY, et al.

Application No.: 09/890,178

Filed: January 28, 2000

For: SELF-GENERATION OF CERTIFICATES USING SECURE MICROPROCESSOR IN A DEVICE FOR TRANSFERRING DIGITAL INFORMATION

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 7577

Examiner: Ilwoo Park

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 3, 2004, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.